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FM AMEMBASSY PHNOM PENH
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7782

CONFIDENTIAL PHNOM PENH 3965

EXDIS.

SUBJ: PRESIDENTIAL LETTER TO LON NOL

REF: (A) STATE 111939; (B) PHNOM PENH 3904

1. AKP PUBLISHED ENTIRE ENGLISH TEXT OF PRESIDENT'S LETTER THIS MORNING, JUNE 23.

2. THIS AFTERNOON MINISTER OF STATE, MAU SAY, PRESENTED HIS APOLOGIES TO CHARGE, ASKING THAT THEY BE TRANSMITTED TO WASHINGTON ON BEHALF OF THE KHMER GOVERNMENT. MAU SAY ACKNOWLEDGED THAT HE HAD BEEN TOLD THAT THE EMBASSY HAD NO RPT NO AUTHORITY TO RELEASE THE PRESIDENT'S LETTER, THAT HE UNDERSTOOD ITS CONFIDENTIAL CHARACTER, AND THAT HE UNDERSTOOD THAT EVENTUAL PUBLICATION WAS UNDER DISCUSSION, NOT GRANTED. HE SAID THAT A JUNIOR MEMBER OF THE PRESIDENT'S STAFF, WHO HAD THE COMPLETE FILE OF CONGRATULATORY LETTERS AND WISHED TO SHOW ZEAL, HAD SIMPLY SENT IT TO AKP WITHOUT HIS AUTHORIZATION OR LON NOL'S.

ENDERS

DEPARTMENT OF STATE A/CDC/MR

REVIEWED BY Trubley DATE 10/9/80

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REASON(S)

EXISTING MARKINGS ☐

~~CLASSIFIED~~ ~~RELEASEABLE~~

PLEASE DENIED

ACT FOR EXEMPTIONS

EXDLS REF: 24

Clat. A - Clayton removed;
transferred to O/PADCC

Col. B. - Transferred to OFFENSE
with additional duties

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Elyah Kury
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